



WORDS RICHARD COOKSON
ART JOHN ROSS
COLOURING ALAN CRADDOCK

THE WHEELERS

THE DOCTOR AND CLARA ARE ENJOYING A PICNIC ON THE PLANET SPOKINIUM.

NOW DON'T SAY I DON'T TAKE YOU ANYWHERE RELAXING.

RUMBLE

WHAT'S THAT NOISE?

LOOK OUT. RUN, DOCTOR!

THIS ISN'T RELAXING!

SHUT UP AND RUN FASTER!

UNHAND ME AT ONCE!

THE DOCTOR AND CLARA ARE DRAGGED ABOARD THE WHEEL...

DOCTOR!

I'M CAPTAIN RATLETT, THESE ARE MY WHEELERS - AND YOU SCRAWNY PAIR ARE HARDLY THE CATCH OF THE DAY! LOCK 'EM UP AND FIND ME MORE!

THE DOCTOR AND CLARA ARE IMPRISONED.

SPEED IS GOOD!
STEP ON THE GAS!
THE WHEELERS
STEAL FROM ALL
THEY PASS!

CAN YOU MUTE THE
CHANTING CAPTAIN?

OUT! THE SLOW LANE IS FOR WIMPS! KEEP!

VREEEEEE

THE SONIC
CAN DO
BETTER THAN
THAT! THESE
MONITORS ARE
PART OF A
COMPUTER
NETWORK...

HOW IS THAT
POSSIBLE?

THIS WHEEL IS
ACTUALLY AN
ANCIENT SPACE
STATION THAT
CRASHED HERE
AND STARTED
ROLLING ON ITS
LOW-FRICTION
OUTER EDGE
LONG, LONG AGO!

BUT THESE NETS
ARE NEW - AND
RUSHED! THEY'RE
RUBBISH!

THESE PIRATES
DIDN'T BUILD THE
WHEEL, BUT THEIR
ANCESTORS MUST
HAVE FOUND A WAY
ON BOARD.

THEY ADAPTED -
BUILT THEIR HOMES
ON ROLLERS AND
SCAVENGE WHATEVER
THEY NEED.

LOOK, THERE'S ONE
OUT OF BREATH!

PANT!
PANT!

AND YOU ESCAPEES ARE
OUT OF TIME! WE'RE
HAVING LUNCH ON THE
GO - AND YOU TWO ARE
GOING TO BE OUR **FAST
FOOD SNACK!**

THE DOCTOR AND CLARA ARE ABOUT TO BE SERVED AS LUNCH!

SO MUCH FOR A QUIET PICNIC...

WELL, NOW YOU KNOW HOW A BARBECUE FEELS!

LOOK, WE'RE HEADING TOWARD THAT VILLAGE!
YOU HAVE TO STOP BEFORE THOSE INNOCENT PEOPLE ARE CRUSHED!

INNOCENCE IS FOR WIMPS!
AND WIMPS LIVE IN THE SLOW LANE. THE WHEEL IS BEST! *SPEED IS GOOD!*

REALLY CAPTAIN?
I THINK YOU HAVEN'T BEEN TELLING YOUR CREW THE WHOLE STORY.

LET ME SHOW YOU THE SLOW LANE -
PEACEFUL, ENJOYABLE AND HAPPY!

VREEEEEE

WHY CAN'T WE STOP ROLLING AND RELAX ONCE IN A WHILE?

BECAUSE THE WHEEL NEVER STOPS - AND STOPPING IS FOR LOSERS!

HE'S WRONG - YOU CAN REVERSE THE ROLLERS AND TAKE CONTROL!

EVERYONE HOLD ON!

STOP, YOU LILY-LIVERED SLOW COACHES!

IT STOPPED!

I'M SORRY CAPTAIN, BUT YOUR CREW HAVE OPTED OUT OF THIS RAT RACE.

ALL THEY WANTED WAS THE CHANCE TO ENJOY LIFE IN THE SLOW LANE!

CLOONK

OOF!